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Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Multi-Carotene supplements under the PhysioLogics brand name:

**Ingredients:** Vitamin A, Vitamin E, Lutein, Lycopene, Alpha-Carotene, Zeaxanthin, Proprietary Blend (Carrot, Tomato, Spinach Concentrates, and Medium Chain Triglycerides)

- Free Radical Defense Package.
- This well-balanced blend of carotenoids provides antioxidant support to prevent oxidation to cell membranes, DNA, lipids and proteins.
- Lutein and Zeaxanthin are the principle carotenoids found in the macular region of the retina.
- Lycopene and Beta-Carotene have the ability to support cell-to-cell communication, necessary for healthy cell growth.
- Together this blend of carotenoids promotes overall health.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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